payments, the half pay of a captain, as a further remuneration Dec Ses 1825 for her late husband's services during the revolutionary war.

No. 71.

Resolved, That the treasurer of the Western Shore, pay unto the order of Theodorick Bland, the sum of three thousand four hundred dollars for his salary as chancellor for the year ending cellor. on the sixteenth day of February, 1826; and the salary of the present chancellor, as declared by a resolution passed at this session of the general assembly, shall be paid to him quarterly by the treasurer of the Western Shore during the continuance of his commission and no longer.

No. 72.

Resolved, That the treasurer of the Western Shore, pay to 3, 1826. Thomas Wright, or order, the sum of ninety-one dollars and thirty-five cents, with interest from the fourth day of November Wright. eighteen hundred and fifteen, till paid, out of any unappropriated money in the treasury

No. 73.

Whereas by resolutions of the present assembly the governor PassedMarch and council are authorised to procure certain valuable papers Chancery paremaining in the chancery office, to be recorded: And whereas, pers. the governor and council entertain doubts of their authority, under said resolutions, to carry into effect the intention of the General Assembly in passing them. Therefore,

Resolved, That the governor and council, be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to contract in the name of the State, with some person or persons of integrity, understanding, and other proper qualifications to discharge the labor and duties mentioned in said resolutions; and the governor and council are hereby authorised to draw quarterly and yearly as the work progresses, on the treasurer of the Western Shore, which drafts the said treasurer is hereby directed to pay, for such sums as may be necessary to meet the demands of the persons engaged in said work.

No. 74.

Resolved, That John Barnes, clerk of Charles county court, be, and he is hereby allowed until the first of January, 1828, to complete the records of papers, judgments and judicial proceedings remaining in his office unrecorded, which were required to be recorded under the act of 1817, chapter 119, or which were required by any previous act of assembly, to be recorded: Provided, that nothing contained in this resolution, shall operate to

Records of Charles coun-